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UTAH'S EMPLOYMENT SUMMARY: September 2019

SALT LAKE CITY — Utah's nonfarm payroll employment for September 2019 grew by an estimated 3.0 percent, adding 45,400 jobs to the economy since September 2018. Utah's current employment level registers 1,578,900. August's year-over job growth is unrevised at 3.0 percent.

September's seasonally-adjusted unemployment rate lowered one-tenth of a percentage point to 2.7 percent. Approximately 43,366 Utahns were unemployed and actively seeking work during September. The national unemployment rate dropped two-tenths of a percentage point to 3.5 percent.

Labor Market Indicators September 2019

Utah

Employment Year-Over % Change: 3.0%
Employment # Change: 45,400
Unemployment Rate: 2.7%

United States

Employment Year-Over % Change: 1.4%
Unemployment Rate: 3.5%

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

"Utah is moving into the latter months of 2019 on a strong economic footing," reported Mark Knold, Chief Economist at the Department of Workforce Services. "The strength of the Utah economy is in the private sector where we've seen a healthy and diverse job market over the last five years."

Utah's private sector employment grew by 3.2 percent year-over with the addition of 41,100 positions. All 10 of the private sector major industry groups measured in the establishment survey posted net job increases in September. The largest private sector employment increases were in Education and Health Services (9,400 jobs); Professional and Business Services (8,400 jobs); and Manufacturing (5,500 jobs). The fastest employment growth occurred in Information (4.9 percent); Construction (4.7 percent); and Education and Health Services (4.5 percent).

* Additional analysis and tables at <https://jobs.utah.gov/wi/update/index.html>

* County unemployment rates for September will be posted on or shortly after October 21, 2019, at <https://jobs.utah.gov/wi/update/une/season.pdf>

* October employment information will be released at 7:00 a.m. on Friday, November 15, 2019.

Statistics generated by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Washington, D.C., modeled from monthly employer (employment) and household (unemployment) surveys.



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Utah Nonagricultural Jobs by Industry and Components of the Labor Force

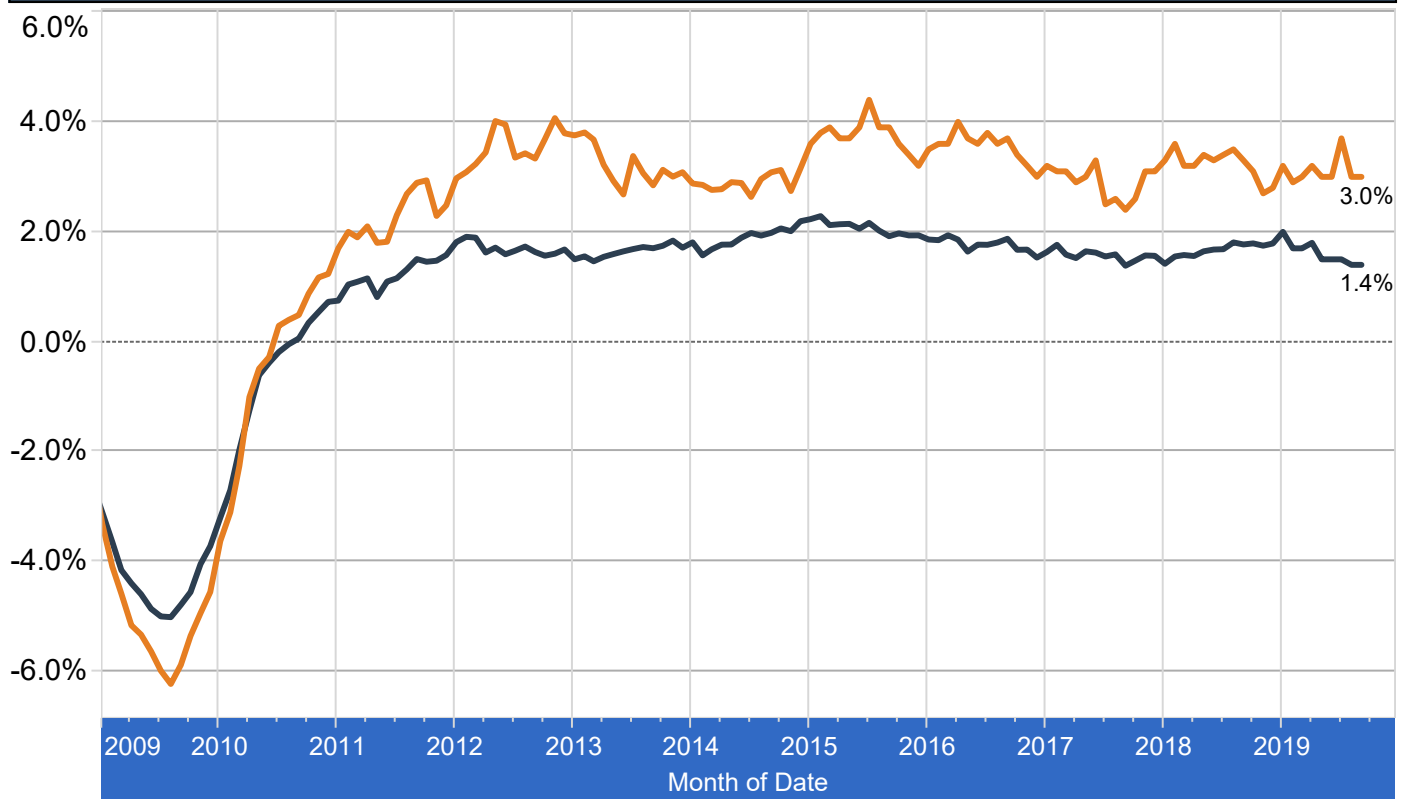
Numbers are in thousands	September (p) 2019	September (r) 2018	Percentage Change	August (r) 2019	August (r) 2018	Percentage Change
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE (seasonally-adjusted)	1,606.0	1,576.9	1.8	1,601.4	1,573.7	1.8
Employed	1,562.6	1,527.2	2.3	1,556.3	1,524.3	2.1
Unemployed	43.4	49.6	-12.5	45.1	49.4	-8.7
Unemployment Rate	2.7	3.1		2.8	3.1	
NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (Thousands)	1,578.9	1,533.5	3.0	1,562.7	1,516.6	3.0
Not seasonally-adjusted						
PRIVATE SECTOR	1,323.7	1,282.6	3.2	1,326.9	1,282.7	3.4
GOODS PRODUCING	260.8	249.9	4.4	263.0	251.1	4.7
Natural Resources and Mining	10.0	9.6	4.2	10.0	9.6	4.2
Construction	111.6	106.6	4.7	113.0	107.7	4.9
Construction of Buildings	23.4	21.9	6.8	23.9	22.3	7.2
Heavy and Civil Engineering	11.5	10.8	6.5	11.6	10.9	6.4
Specialty Trade Contractors	76.7	73.9	3.8	77.5	74.5	4.0
Manufacturing	139.2	133.7	4.1	140.0	133.8	4.6
Durable Goods	91.8	87.4	5.0	92.2	87.5	5.4
Computer and Electronic Products	13.6	13.0	4.6	13.6	13.0	4.6
Transportation and Equipment Manufacturing	14.7	14.4	2.1	14.8	14.3	3.5
Non-Durable Goods	47.4	46.3	2.4	47.8	46.3	3.2
SERVICES PROVIDING	1318.1	1283.6	2.7	1299.7	1265.5	2.7
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	291.9	288.4	1.2	290.0	287.8	0.8
Wholesale Trade	52.2	51.5	1.4	52.0	51.7	0.6
Retail Trade	173.9	173.0	0.5	173.9	173.9	0.0
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	23.8	23.4	1.7	24.0	23.6	1.7
Food and Beverage Stores	25.6	25.2	1.6	25.5	25.5	0.0
General Merchandise Stores	31.0	30.8	0.6	30.9	30.9	0.0
Transportation and Utilities	65.8	63.9	3.0	64.1	62.2	3.1
Utilities	3.8	3.9	-2.6	3.9	3.9	0.0
Transportation & Warehousing	62.0	60.0	3.3	60.2	58.3	3.3
Air Transportation	7.3	7.2	1.4	7.2	7.0	2.9
Truck Transportation	24.6	23.5	4.7	24.4	23.6	3.4
Couriers and Messengers	8.6	8.8	-2.3	7.5	7.4	1.4
Information	40.7	38.8	4.9	40.9	39.6	3.3
Publishing Industries	13.7	13.3	3.0	13.8	13.4	3.0
Motion Picture and Sound Recording	5.0	5.6	-10.7	5.4	6.1	-11.5
Telecommunications	7.7	7.2	6.9	7.7	7.3	5.5
Internet Service Providers	5.4	5.6	-3.6	5.4	5.6	-3.6
Financial Activities	91.0	87.9	3.5	91.2	88.8	2.7
Finance and Insurance	69.2	67.0	3.3	69.1	67.6	2.2
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	21.8	20.9	4.3	22.1	21.2	4.2
Professional and Business Services	226.6	218.2	3.8	228.7	218.8	4.5
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	108.4	103.8	4.4	108.7	104.1	4.4
Architectural, Engineering, and Related	16.1	15.3	5.2	16.2	15.5	4.5
Computer Systems Design and Related	28.5	27.2	4.8	29.4	27.4	7.3
Management of Companies and Enterprises	19.0	19.3	-1.6	19.0	19.5	-2.6
Administration & Support						
& Waste Management & Remediation	99.2	95.1	4.3	101.0	95.2	6.1
Employment Services	32.0	30.8	3.9	31.8	30.2	5.3
Business Support Services	19.3	19.2	0.5	18.9	19.0	-0.5
Education and Health Services	216.1	206.7	4.5	210.1	199.7	5.2
Educational Services	52.4	50.3	4.2	46.9	43.1	8.8
Health Services and Social Assistance	163.7	156.4	4.7	163.2	156.6	4.2
Ambulatory Health Care Services	66.2	62.8	5.4	65.9	63.0	4.6
Hospitals	40.0	38.4	4.2	39.5	38.2	3.4
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	30.0	28.6	4.9	29.8	28.8	3.5
Social Assistance	27.5	26.6	3.4	28.0	26.6	5.3
Leisure and Hospitality	154.9	151.3	2.4	159.5	154.7	3.1
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	28.3	25.0	13.2	30.4	26.2	16.0
Accommodation and Food Services	126.6	126.3	0.2	129.1	128.5	0.5
Accommodation	21.8	21.8	0.0	22.2	22.5	-1.3
Food Services and Drinking Places	104.8	104.5	0.3	106.9	106.0	0.8
Other Services	41.7	41.4	0.7	43.5	42.2	3.1
Government	255.2	250.9	1.7	235.8	233.9	0.8
Federal Government	38.6	36.0	7.2	38.8	36.4	6.6
Federal Defense	17.8	17.1	4.1	17.8	17.1	4.1
Other Federal Government	20.8	18.9	10.1	21.0	19.3	8.8
State Government	85.4	84.5	1.1	78.7	78.0	0.9
State Schools	51.8	51.2	1.2	45.3	44.9	0.9
Other State Government	33.6	33.3	0.9	33.4	33.1	0.9
Local Government	131.2	130.4	0.6	118.3	119.5	-1.0
Local Education	71.3	71.6	-0.4	58.0	60.6	-4.3
Other Local Government	59.9	58.8	1.9	60.3	58.9	2.4

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics: Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS); Current Employment Statistics (CES). October 18, 2019

Note: Government owned education, healthcare, etc. are enumerated within Government.

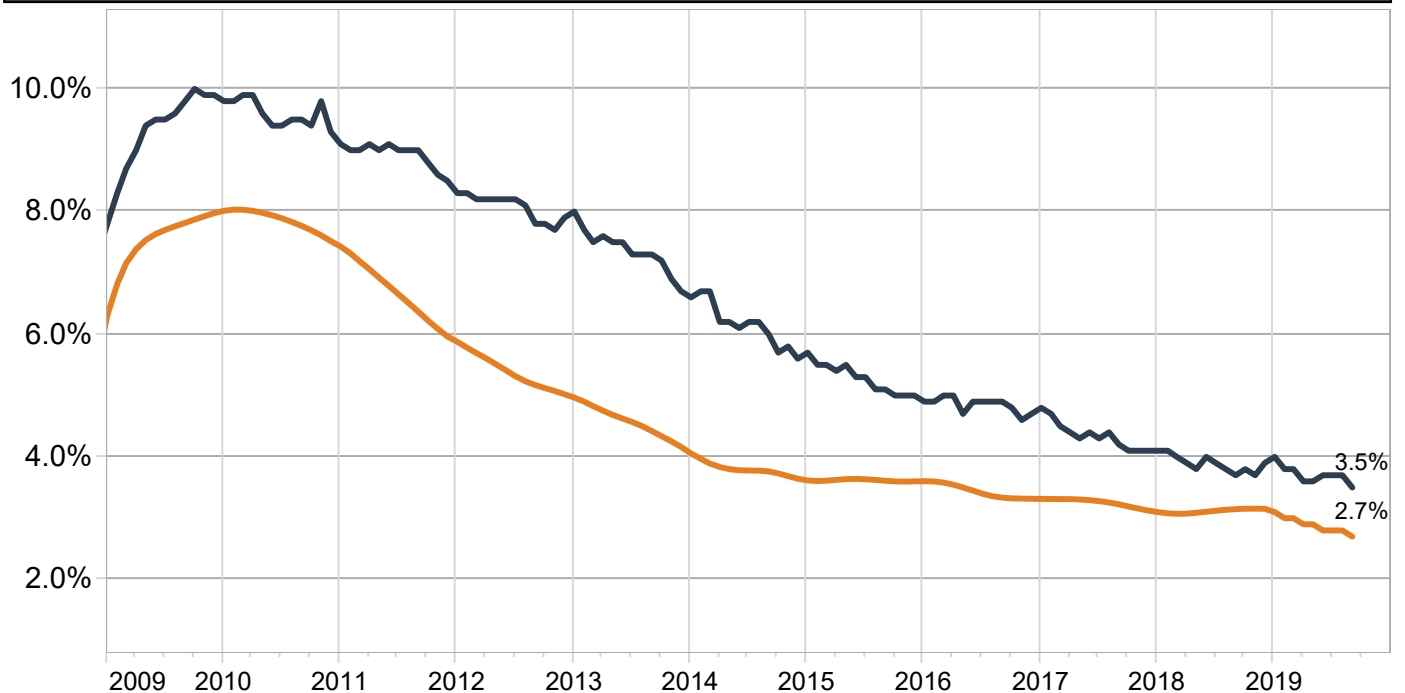
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Year-Over Percent Change In Nonfarm Jobs



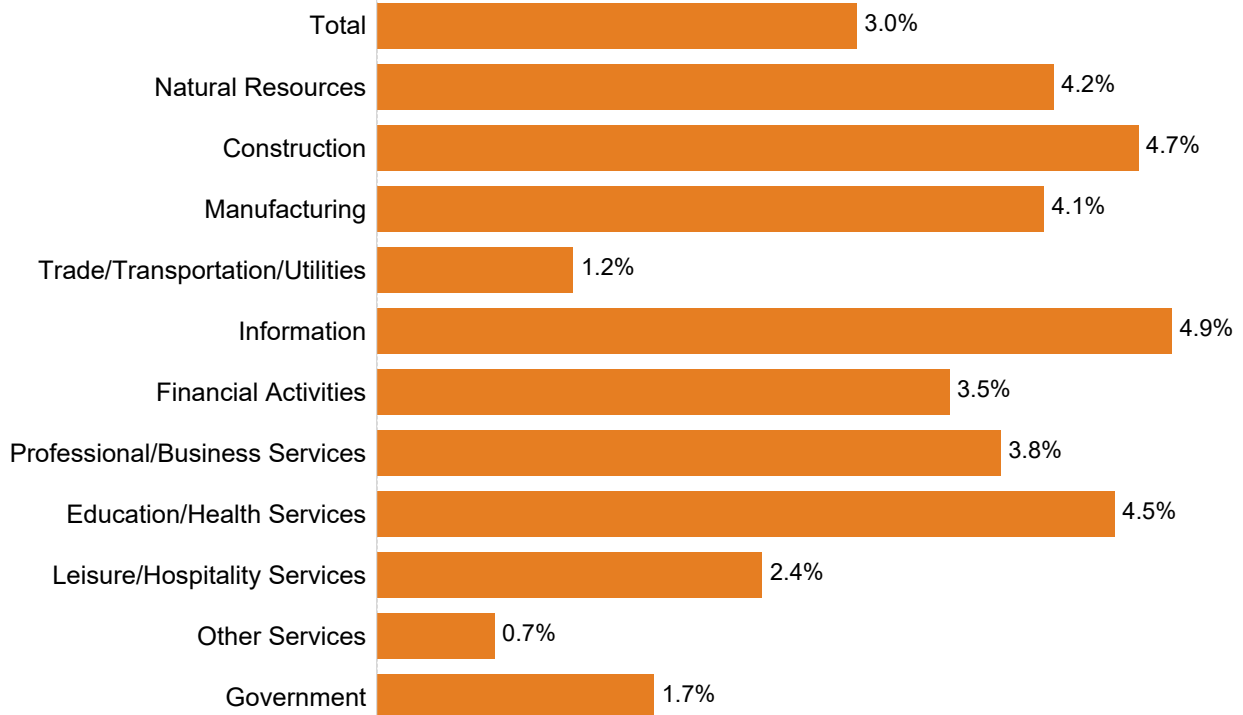
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Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates

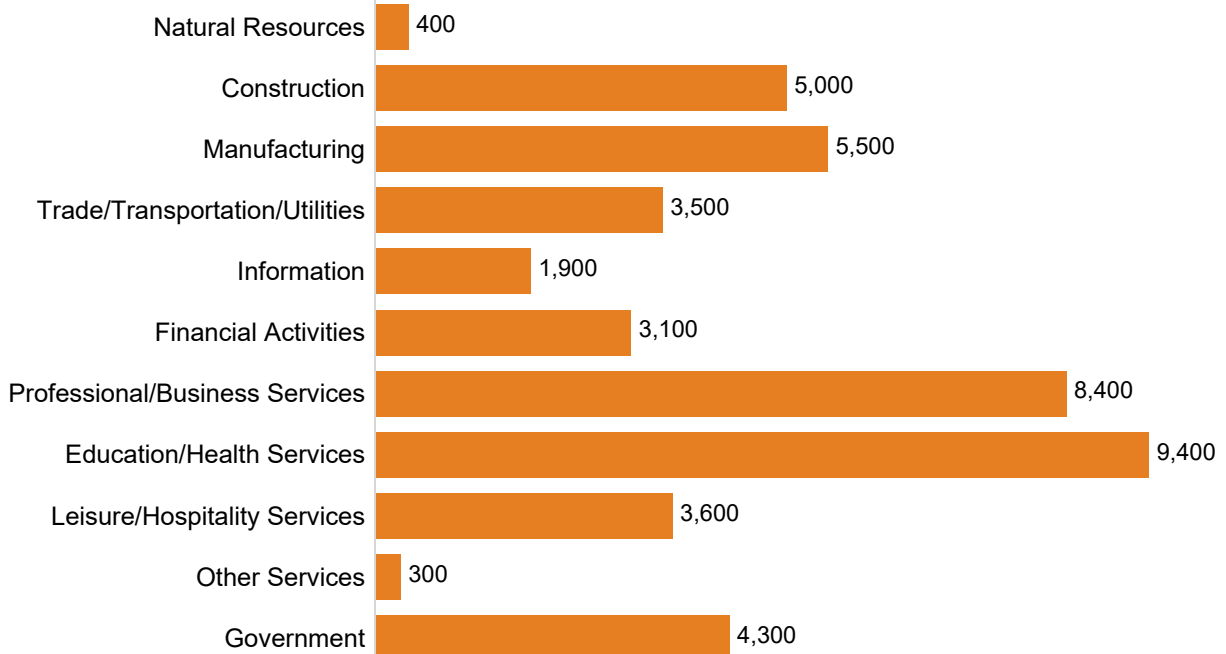


Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Utah Nonfarm Industry Profiles September 2018 - 2019 Percent Change



Numeric Change



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

NONFARM EMPLOYMENT IN UTAH'S COUNTIES

	September 2019 <i>Estimate</i>	September 2018 <i>Actual</i>	Percent Change	August 2019 <i>Estimate</i>	July 2019 <i>Estimate</i>
BEAVER	2,373	2,436	-2.6	2,335	2,284
BOX ELDER	21,545	21,221	1.5	21,742	21,414
CACHE	62,290	60,795	2.5	58,084	57,443
CARBON	8,972	8,979	-0.1	8,758	8,738
DAGGETT	450	440	2.3	462	475
DAVIS	135,027	131,792	2.5	133,978	134,177
DUCHESNE	8,023	7,720	3.9	7,864	7,811
EMERY	3,365	3,293	2.2	3,385	3,427
GARFIELD	2,826	2,726	3.7	2,902	2,932
GRAND	6,427	6,298	2.0	6,580	6,625
IRON	20,809	19,753	5.3	19,648	19,578
JUAB	3,708	3,638	1.9	3,717	3,694
KANE	3,896	3,843	1.4	4,030	4,024
MILLARD	4,331	4,330	0.0	4,372	4,388
MORGAN	2,582	2,376	8.7	2,591	2,526
PIUTE	283	270	4.8	270	257
RICH	1,056	1,004	5.2	1,228	1,271
SALT LAKE	743,734	723,347	2.8	739,758	736,597
SAN JUAN	4,726	4,651	1.6	4,719	4,512
SANPETE	8,886	8,718	1.9	8,369	8,338
SEVIER	9,157	9,163	-0.1	9,055	9,054
SUMMIT	26,629	25,622	3.9	27,457	27,373
TOOELE	16,625	16,344	1.7	16,374	16,168
UINTAH	13,135	12,982	1.2	13,094	13,118
UTAH	272,735	263,967	3.3	266,284	262,004
WASATCH	10,581	9,643	9.7	10,684	10,603
WASHINGTON	71,974	69,763	3.2	71,465	69,761
WAYNE	1,140	1,139	0.1	1,185	1,198
WEBER	111,800	108,140	3.4	111,181	110,934

Note: Numbers have been left unrounded for convenience rather than to denote accuracy.

Note: Employment numbers are not seasonally adjusted. Therefore, comparisons of employment levels from one month to the next should not be used as job creation/loss estimates between those months. Seasonal factors could be the reason. For example, employment levels in September are usually higher than in August, as school employment resumes.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, Workforce Research and Analysis, 10/18/2019